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ONE CENT.

Raw Furs Wanted

For the first time in four and one-half years prosperity has struck the fur market and I am paying the highest market price in gold for all kinds of raw furs. Don't sell your furs without giving me a chance to bid on them; prime black skunk run as high as \$1.00; large prime mink, dark, \$1.25; large prime winter muskrats, 14c; large prime Southwestern Michigan coon, 80c. Don't sell to peddlers and take your pay in tinware, cats and dogs, but bring your furs down to me and get the cash. Remember I have bought furs in Benton Harbor for 22 years and I will give you fair assortment, the largest stock of Guns, Rifles, Revolvers and ammunition in Berrien county at lowest prices on earth; every size of buckshot made; loaded paper shells, a leader at 35c; a long line of shells loaded with smokeless powder.

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IS DECLARED OFF.

Judge Coolidge Dissolves Tunnel Injunction.

George W. Bridgman, attorney for the Davies faction of the Benton Harbor electric road, went over to Cassopolis yesterday and his mission was clouded in mystery. The stockholders of the road met at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and peacefully adjourned until today. The Deam people became uneasy over the absence of Mr. Bridgman and the calm actions of his clients. A telegram was sent to Judge Coolidge and in the evening a dispatch from the judge was received. It consisted of just two words, "Injunction dissolved."

The injunction was issued by Circuit Court Commissioner St. Clair and restrained the stockholders from holding their annual election.

The stockholders met this afternoon and took another adjournment. They promise some sensational developments in a few days and the complete rout of Mr. Deam.

There are men, they say, ready to build the road.

LARGE GRAIN SHIPMENTS.

The City of Duluth Brought in 40,000 Bushels This Morning.

The City of Duluth came in from Chicago this morning with a cargo of 40,000 bushels of wheat. The Graham & Morton company has enough grain in sight in Chicago to bring in a similar amount, each trip from now until the first of May. The boat will leave this port tonight.

LEG AMPUTATED.

Guy Vesey of Royalton Submits to a Painful Operation.

Drs. Wilson, Scott and Burke of St. Joseph amputated the leg of Guy Vesey at 1 o'clock this afternoon. The young man with two companions was out hunting last week when a gun in the hands of one of the men was accidentally discharged, the shot taking effect in Mr. Vesey's leg. His companion ran to the nearest house for assistance but while they were gone it was thought that the young man's leg was frozen. It is not thought that he can survive.

RECEPTION TO PRINTERS.

It Will Be Given Next Wednesday Evening.

The Y. M. C. A. will give a reception next Wednesday evening to the printers and newspaper men of the city.

Secretary Woodford has issued neat invitations. Everyone is invited but those not printers or newspaper workers will be asked to pay the small sum of 10 cents. The following program has been prepared:

Address of welcome, Pres. F. A. Votey; response, Editor J. N. Reed; piano solo, selected, Miss Lorayne Osborn; reading—"Setting Type vs. Setting Hens," S. A. Bailey; recitation—"A Printer's Love Story," William Cameron; soprano solo, selected, Mrs. Charles Stone; reading—"Printer's Paradise," S. A. Bailey; class in editorial advice, Y. M. C. A. seven; piano solo, selected, Miss Adelia Morgan; social and lunch.

BUTTER QUOTATIONS.

J. J. Barnes Will Hang Out a Bulletin Daily.

J. J. Barnes & Son, the exclusive butter dealers at 140 Pipestone street, will hereafter put out a daily bulletin board with the quotations of butter thereon.

Tomorrow the quotation will be 16 cents a pound.

Wallace Bros. are giving away two bicycles and a \$15 pipe.

The Globe clothing and shoe store is moved to 112 Pipestone street.

Great bargains at The Globe, 112 Pipestone street.

BIG PLANING MILL.

The R. G. Peters Company of Manistee Make a Proposition.

They Want to Invest \$20,000 in This City at Once.

They Will Build a Planing Mill and Employ One Hundred Men.

Only Ask Protection Against Exorbitant Taxes and Fire.

This Large Industry Seems Assured to Benton Harbor.

Beyond all reasonable doubt Benton Harbor will soon have a lumber yard and planing mill furnishing employment the year round to 100 men.

For the past week J. J. Miller, president of the board of trade, has been in correspondence with members of the R. G. Peters Lumber & Salt company of Eastlake, Michigan, a suburb of Manistee, in regard to their locating an extensive plant in this city.

Yesterday D. B. Gillette and Col. H. W. Carv, of the company were in the city and completed arrangements with the Big Four railroad company for the use of 1,500 feet of dockage on the canal and for the lease of several acres of ground. After the business was completed at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon they met members of the board of trade and made a final proposition which will be accepted. They ask for no bonus and want none, but they desire to protect themselves against exorbitant taxation in the city. Their proposition is that they pay the first \$1,000 of taxes on their property here each year for a term of five years. They say that \$1,000 is all they ought to pay as at assessment time they will have but little lumber on hand. In case their taxes amount to more than \$1,000 they ask the city or the business men to pay the taxes over \$1,000 up to the sum of \$1,500. Should their taxes run over \$1,500 they will pay the additional amount and in no case will the city be held for more than \$500 taxes per year.

As soon as the company locates here it will at once invest \$20,000 in buildings and planing mill machinery. They expect to add a general shipping business in lumber and shingles and handle 50,000,000 feet of lumber per year in addition to 30,000,000 shingles. They will give constant employment to 100 men and during the busy season will often employ 200. The company is a rich concern and owns its own boats on which to bring lumber here. One other thing they asked of the city was that their lumber yard be given fire protection and asked that the water main be run to their property and hydrants placed in convenient places.

This is the best offer that Benton Harbor people ever received. The gentlemen said to the board of trade that in no case with a reasonable assessment would their taxes exceed \$1,000 per year and as a matter of protection to themselves they desired that the business men become interested in the matter with them. The first year their taxes will be practically nothing because they cannot get any lumber on the ground until the opening of navigation and at assessment time they will have but little property here.

President Miller of the board of trade is enthusiastic over the outlook and declares that it is the beginning of better things. With the location of this plant it will help to secure other institutions, especially the refrigerator factory which talks of locating here. It will cheapen the price of lumber used in refrigerators and be another inducement to that firm that seriously contemplates moving here. Mr. Miller has his ear to the ground and declares that there are a half a dozen other good things which may possibly be secured for the city.

A subscription paper will be circulated to ascertain what amount the business men will give toward liquidating the tax providing it should be more than \$1,000 and if there is a response, which is certain, there is no doubt of the factory.

The gentlemen declared before leaving on the early morning train that they could see no possible hitch that would prevent the planing mill and lumber yard from coming here and that very soon.

C. J. Brown made the suggestion to one of the gentlemen that it might be possible to raise a small bonus for such an important industry. The reply was: "Our company is not seeking a bonus and I doubt if we would even accept one if it were offered. If we come here it will be because we think it will be to

our interest to do so and not because you have hired us to locate in your city. All we want is a guarantee that we shall not suffer from unjust taxation."

HAD A FEAST.

Ladies of the Maccabees Install Their Officers.

Benton Hive, No. 545, Ladies of the Maccabees, installed their officers for the year 1898 at their place of meeting in Odd Fellow's hall yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Mrs. W. O. Cantrell acting as installing officer. The following were installed in their respective offices:

Past lady commander, Emma Cantrell; lady commander, Grace Robbins; lieutenant, Hannah Edgecombe; record keeper, Ida M. Tallmadge; finance keeper, Paulina Stone; chaplain, Mary Warner; sergeant, Jennie Woods; mistress at arms, Kate Vincent; sentinel, Amanda White; picket, Mrs. Bennett; physician, Dr. Zelpha G. Walker.

There were about sixty members present and after the installation a bountiful supply of all that constitutes a banquet such as these ladies always serve, was enjoyed by those present and a profitable and pleasant afternoon was spent and all seemed delighted with the success the committee had met with in providing so well for such a large number.

With such a corps of officers every one of which is well known, Benton Hive should flourish and next year serve one hundred and twenty instead of sixty at their installation.

EXTRA SESSION CALL.

It Will Probably Be Issued This Week.

Lansing, Jan. 14.—Governor Pingree is still here, and there is every reason to believe that the much discussed call for a special session of the legislature will be forthcoming within the next few hours, although it may be delayed until the first of next week.

Railroad Commissioner Wessellus left for home this morning, but will return tomorrow.

It is not denied by any of the governor's cabinet that an extra session is a very near probability. A number of officials were with the governor last evening, but it is declared the extra session was not discussed, as one of them said this morning: "It is past discussing. The governor has made up his mind, and anything that might be said could not change it. This we discovered at the Detroit conference."

SAVED SEVERAL LIVES.

H. L. Hauser Did Good Work at Fort Smith.

H. L. Hauser, one of the gentlemen who is preparing the Benton Harbor edition of "Headlight Flashes," was in Fort Smith, Ark., at the time of the cyclone. The News Record of that place says of his good work at that time:

H. L. Hauser's experience in handling men on board a man of war stood him in good stead last night. He was one of the first to the scene of the burning buildings at Texas corner and found the efforts of the men with axes being directed in an ineffectual way. Mr. Hauser seized an axe, jumped onto the burning building and a second later was giving orders to the volunteers. The work progressed under his leadership and the labors of the men were not in vain. "Now, all together," Mr. Hauser shouted and the timbers crashed in and several people were reached and taken out. Mr. Hauser's clear headedness was the means of saving several lives and he received the hearty commendations of those about the scene. He is an old newspaper man from the northwest and is at present publisher of "Headlight Flashes," an edition for Fort Smith is now being gotten out.

Z. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise City, Ind., says: "I bought one bottle of 'Myrtle Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., Druggists, Benton Harbor, 108 Main street.

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The Globe Clothing and Shoe Store was our latest move to 112 Pipestone street (next door to Dunbar's market) and we are now moving the goods out to our customers at **AFTER HOLIDAY PRICES**. Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Rubbers, Trunks and Traveling Bags—this stock must be sold before March 1 as we will consolidate our business in the Jones & Sonner building at that time and have no room for it. We respectfully solicit a call in our new quarters and would be pleased to show you our stock whether you buy or not.

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2 packages Washing Powder	5c
4 lbs. Cottolene	25c
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"What do you think you are doing for me, Tom, the boatman, on the way?"

"Well, sir, you see, my pa an I went down to see the yacht go by. An I fell in an like to drowned. An might if Tom had not been round."

LOVE LEVELS ALL.

"Is this the ferry?" The speaker was a tall, fair girl, whose pale statuesque beauty was accentuated by her mourning dress and black hat, and her inquiry was addressed to a handsome, broad shouldered young fellow in flannels, who was fastening a boat up to the steps.

As the young man did not reply the girl repeated her question.

"Can you tell me, please, if this is the ferry?" Then he looked hastily around, and as there was nobody else in sight he seemed to come to the conclusion that he was the one to whom the lady was speaking.

"I beg your pardon," he said. "I did not know that you were addressing me. This is Twickenham ferry."

"Thank you," responded the girl. "And will you be good enough to ferry me over?"

"With pleasure," was the reply, and, stepping forward, he assisted her into the boat, shoved off and commenced sculling across the river.

When they had arrived at the opposite bank and as the young lady was being assisted out, she asked:

"How much do I owe you, please?"

The ferryman turned rather red and hesitated for a few moments before he replied:

"The fare is a penny, but you had better pay when you come back."

"I am afraid I shall have to," replied the fair girl, looking in her purse, "for I have nothing less than a shilling."

"Shall I expect you down this afternoon for a row?" inquired the young man.

"Very probably—I think so. By the bye, what's your name? Whose boat shall I ask for?"

"My name is John, but my friends usually call me Jack."

"Very well, John, I shall be at the landing place about half past 2." And she walked away with that grace and vigor which are inseparable from a girl who has been brought up in the fresh air and athletic surroundings of a country life.

The half hour had barely struck when the young lady made her appearance at the ferry. Jack was waiting for her, and without any loss of time they got aboard and started up the river.

This was a memorable day with Geraldine, for it was her first introduction to the "silvery Thames," and as she leaned back on the cushions in the stern sheets the ripple of the water and the songs of the birds combined with the rhythmic sound of the boatman's sculls to make sweet music, which she enjoyed in silence until they arrived opposite Pope's villa, which Jack duly pointed out.

"A grand poet!" exclaimed Geraldine, with enthusiasm.

"Much overrated," answered Jack. "His brain was as crooked as his figure."

"You have been misinformed," observed Geraldine. "Of course you have not read his 'Iliad.' It is not a book that would appeal to you. But—"

"Oh, yes, I have," interrupted Jack. "And his 'Odyssey' too. But I would rather read one canto from 'Childe Harold' than the whole of Pope's works."

This led to a disputatious argument, in which Geraldine lost her temper and was rude enough to say:

"You are evidently an exemplification of the old saying that 'a little learning is a dangerous thing.'"

"Well, I'm bothered," exclaimed Jack, with a satirical smile, "if that isn't a little too bad. For if there was one thing that I was supposed to be good at next to rowing it was Greek."

"You seem to be very well educated for your position in life," remarked Geraldine.

"Oh, I don't know," answered Jack, and he added quickly: "The free libraries are so convenient, you know. But I might return the compliment and say that you seem very well read for a young lady."

When they returned to the ferry, Geraldine extracted her purse, but, as she was taking out the money, Jack said, pointing to Hammerton, the ferryman:

"That is the person to pay, please. I am not allowed to take any money."

When the young lady was out of sight, Jack said quietly to the boatman:

"Don't forget, Dick, if she should happen to make any inquiries that I am only one of your assistants."

"All right, sir," answered Dick, with a knowing look. "I won't forget."

For the next month Geraldine went on the river every fine day, sometimes in the morning, sometimes in the afternoon, and these boating expeditions were extended on many occasions up the stream to Kingston, Molesey and Sunbury, and many an argument they had on literature and art—for as a rule their opinions on these subjects were diametrically opposite—as they drifted down the riverward bound.

One afternoon they were returning down the river when the conversation turned upon the wedding of a lady of property in the neighborhood, who had recently married her coachman.

"Poor, unfortunate woman!" exclaimed Geraldine. "How bitterly she will regret it!"

"Why should she?" inquired Jack. "Because happiness is impossible with such an ill assorted match."

"How do you know they are ill assorted?"

"Why, how can she, a lady by birth and education, have anything in common with a fellow like that—a hewer of wood and a drawer of water?"

"It is impossible!" exclaimed Geraldine. "How can she, a lady by birth and education, have anything in common with a fellow like that—a hewer of wood and a drawer of water?"

"Don't be too hard upon us," said Jack half seriously. "Remember that Homer was a slave, Burns a plowman and your favorite, Pope, only the son of a linen draper."

"Ah, but genius levels all things!" replied Geraldine, with a smile.

"There is something else which levels all things," observed the young boatman.

"What is that?"

"Love," answered Jack, "that glorious feeling which is the true philosopher's stone, which gilds the road of life, no matter how rough it may be; makes a dry crust with the object of one's affection more acceptable than a feast without her, and which sweeps away all distinctions of rank, as the running water washes away the dull earth and leaves the grains of gold exposed."

"How eloquent you are this afternoon!" remarked Geraldine, but her voice was tremulous, and it was evident that her playful sarcasm was but assumed. "What novel have you been reading?"

"Perhaps I am eloquent," replied Jack. "It has been said that all men deeply in earnest are so, and this is a question that affects me to the bottom of my soul. In days of old women married men because they loved them, irrespective of their banking accounts or pedigrees. If a man was honest, brave and honorable, he was considered a match for any 'ladye faire,' and why should it not be so now?"

"Times have altered," faltered Geraldine, her usually pale face a rosy red, "and we have altered with them."

"Not so," responded Jack. "The times have changed, I grant you, and in many respects for the worse, but men and women are still the same. Indeed, so sure am I that this is the case that I am about to stake my whole future happiness upon it. I love you truly and devotedly. I have never loved before and I shall never love again. Will you be mine? Will you trust yourself and your future happiness to me?"

"Oh, this is unkind and ungenerous," cried Geraldine, her eyes filling with tears. "You should not—you ought not to—talk to me like this."

"Why not? Out of the fullness of the heart the mouth speaketh," answered the young man, and, leaning forward, he possessed himself of one of her hands.

"Put on one side all disparities of rank or fortune and ask yourself the question, 'Do I love him?' Geraldine, dear Geraldine, do not let the cruel laws of society come between us and ruin the happiness of two lovers. Speak, darling, and tell me you love me."

"Can you not see," cried the poor girl, commencing to weep bitterly, "it is unkind of you to press me further?"

"I want to hear it from your own dear lips," persisted Jack. "I only want you to say, 'I love you, Jack, and will be your wife.'"

"Oh, I cannot."

"But you do love me?"

"Yes, but—oh, look, there is my aunt," exclaimed Geraldine. "Please put me on shore at once."

Jack looked round and discovered an old lady watching them intently from the towing path, and turning the boat's head he sculled in to the bank, saying as he assisted Geraldine to land:

"I shall call upon you in the morning."

He did so and was informed by the servant that the family had gone away early that day and had left no address, as they were going to travel on the continent.

It was the middle of the London season, and Lady Althorpe's rooms were crowded with the youth, beauty and elite of the aristocracy. Bustling up to Geraldine, the energetic little hostess exclaimed:

"Don't move away for a minute, dear! I want to introduce Lord John Jasper to you—a most eligible parti, my dear. So handsome, as rich as Croesus and so delightfully eccentric! Sets up as a woman hater, you know, but if he resists you, my dear, why, I shall give him up altogether."

A minute after she had gone in search of his lordship a well known face caught Geraldine's attention, and the next moment Jack, the boatman, was standing in front of her.

"At last!" he said in a low, deep voice, while his eyes seemed to pierce her through and through.

"Oh, Jack!" cried Geraldine. "What are you doing here?"

"I have come to ask you to finish what you were saying to me when your aunt interrupted our conversation," replied Jack.

"Oh, but isn't it rash of you!" said the poor girl, half inclined to cry. "Suppose any one was to recognize you? I should never forgive myself if you got into trouble through me. Do go away, Jack."

"Tell me you love me, and I will leave you at once if you wish it," answered Jack.

"Oh, I do—I do!" exclaimed Geraldine. "I never knew how much until we were parted, and now please go away. Oh, here comes Lady Althorpe!"

"Ah, Lord John! I was going to introduce you to Lady Geraldine, but it seems as though you have met before," rippled the genial hostess. "Ah, you silly things!"

"Oh, Jack," cried Geraldine when they were once again alone in the crowd, "why did you do this?"

"Because I wished to be loved for myself alone, darling," whispered Lord Jasper. "And I had given up all hope of it, when Providence brought us together at dear old Twickenham ferry."

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The Funeral Will Be Held from the Home of the Deceased at 2 O'clock Sunday Afternoon.

After an illness of nine weeks in which intense suffering played an important part, Almanza Hamlin, a pioneer citizen of Benton Harbor, passed peacefully away. He was surrounded by his family and a few hours before death touched him the suffering of weeks had fled and he went to sleep and then forgot to wake again in this world.

Mr. Hamlin came to Benton Harbor before the marshy waste had a name. He saw the building of the ship canal, the construction of the West Michigan railroad, and lived here when the place was given its first name—Brunson Harbor, which later was changed to Benton Harbor.

He was born in Sharon, Litchfield county, Conn., August 1, 1834, and was over 63 years of age. When he was 16 his parents moved to Ohio, and later Mr. Hamlin worked in Mendon, Mich., and from that place he came here with a contractor named Whiting to build the first hotel in the then backwoods village. The hotel was called the American House and occupied the corner where now stands the Jones & Sonner block. When Mr. Hamlin came here there were not to exceed a dozen persons here who are living here now. On December 11, 1891, Mr. Hamlin married Miss Laura Brunson, niece of the father of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin have lived here ever since their marriage. He has been engaged in the carpenter business all these years with the exception of a few years spent in constructing water tanks along the West Michigan road.

Three children were born Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin. The oldest, a girl, died in infancy and was buried in Morton cemetery. The other children are Mrs. J. M. Allmendinger and Fred A. Hamlin of THE EVENING NEWS. Mrs. Hamlin also survives her husband.

The funeral will be held from the house on Baird street at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. P. French to officiate. Burial at Morton cemetery.

Three years ago the deceased experienced religion. All his life he had the respect and confidence of those who knew him.

TO GO AT AUCTION.

Battle Creek Sanitarium To Be Sold January 27.

Battle Creek, Jan. 14.—The adventist sanitarium will be sold at auction January 27, and the highest bidder will get the property. The sale takes place at the courthouse in Marshall. The sale does not mean any change detrimental to the institution or any radical changes in management or policy. It is believed that Dr. Kellogg will be the successful bidder.

The sale, it is said, may wipe out the small stockholders, whose earnings went to build up the great institution, but, with the debt that has accumulated, there appears to be no other course.

Not only the real estate, but the furnishings even to the dishes and tableware, will be sold, and before a bid will be considered its makers must deposit a check for \$50,000.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

MICHIGAN.

Michigan Pensions.

Michigan pensions were granted Wednesday as follows: Original—James Van Derselius, Grand Rapids, \$6; Chesney C. Merritt, Nashville, \$6. Increase—George H. Brown, Dickinson, \$8 to \$10. Widows—Gertrude Allen, Gladstone, \$8; minors of Robert Johnson, Lakeview, \$12.

Arthur M. Clark, masonic grand lecturer, has been married to Mrs. Emma C. Alford, of New York, formerly of Adrian.

Ex-Sheriff John Dix is circulating a petition for the appointment of "Uncle Jimmy" Monroe as postmaster of Kalamazoo.

I. M. Weston, formerly publisher of the Grand Rapids Democrat, will probably be arrested for his connection with the failure of the Whitehall bank.

Senator McMillan is working for the building of a \$260,000 war ship to be placed on the great lakes.

Senator Burrows did not decide upon his appointments for western Michigan during his recent visit to Grand Rapids.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispels colds, cures headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

IN COLORADO SPRINGS.

John E. Chase of This City Writes from the West.

Colorado Springs, Jan. 9.—I left Chicago at ten o'clock Thursday night via C. M. & St. P. railroad. The first glimpse I had of the country was out in the central part of Iowa. There was some snow in Iowa and a little in Nebraska but a great deal of mud, particularly at Lincoln. The second night we crossed a corner of Kansas and I did not see much of Colorado until within about 75 miles of Colorado Springs. There were a few snow banks but the prairie was bare and at the Springs there was no snow at all, the streets being as dry as in midsummer and the mercury standing at just 32 in the shade at eight o'clock this morning. I rode through the Garden of the Gods today and though I have visited the place many times I always find some attraction which I had failed to notice before. Old balance rock sits there as majestically as ever. The estimated weight is 200 tons and the foundation that the rocks stands upon does not look larger than the bottom of an ordinary kitchen chair. I thoroughly enjoy the change of climate and scenery.

JOHN E. CHASE.

\$2.00 DINNER.

Prepared by The Evening News Contestants.

Following is one of the bills of fare entered in THE EVENING NEWS prize Christmas dinner contest, and designated by the judges as No. 18:

MENU
"Let good digestion wait on appetite."
Tomato Soup Celery
Crackers Chicken Pie Sweet Potatoes
Baked Potatoes Escalloped Oysters
Lettuce Bread Butter Pickles
Plum Pudding Coffee Vanilla Sauce
Salted Peanuts

For soup: Tomatoes, 5c; 1 qt. milk, 5c. Crackers, 3c; celery, 5c; chicken, 10c per lb., 50c; flour, 5c; for crust and pudding; lard, 2c; baking powder, 1c; Irish potatoes, 3c; sweet potatoes, 6c; oysters, 25c. For escalloped oysters: crackers, 3c; milk, 2c. Lettuce, 10c; 2 eggs at 15c per doz., 3c; vinegar, 1c; pickles, 5c; bread, 5c; butter, 7 lb. 15c for table, seasoning oysters and pudding and fixing peanuts. For pudding—(cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg and vanilla) suet, 2c; raisins, 1 lb., 5c; bread crumbs, 2c; seasoning, 2c; molasses, 3c. Sugar, 5c; coffee, 10c; cream, 3c; peanuts, 10c; salt and pepper, 2c; soda, 5c; total, \$2.

Recipe for Tomato Soup—Take 1 pint of canned tomatoes, add 2 quarts of water and boil 15 minutes. Add 1 qt. milk and at the same time 1 small teaspoon of soda. Season with pepper, salt and butter. Thicken with rolled crackers. Let it boil up once.

Plum Pudding—1 cup molasses, 1 cup milk, 1 cup seeded raisins, 1 cup chopped raisins, 1 cup suet, 1 teaspoon soda, a little nutmeg, 1 teaspoon of cinnamon and cloves, 2 cups bread crumbs, 1 cup flour. Steam three hours and serve hot. Sauce—1 good cup of sugar and 7 cup butter, mixed to a cream, flavored with vanilla or any preferred flavoring.—Miss Ida M. Brooks, Benton Harbor.

Known as No. 7—
MENU
Oyster Soup Pork Roast Crackers
Mashed Potatoes White and Brown Bread Sweet Potatoes
Cabbage Salad Celery Pickles
Plum Pudding Cranberry Pie
Cake Coffee Oranges

Itemized list—1 qt. bulk oysters, 25c; 1 lb. crackers, 5c; 4 lbs. pork roast, 32c; 1-16 bu. potatoes at 60c, 5c; 2 lbs. sweet potatoes, 6c; home made 1 white bread, 5c; home made 1 brown bread, 5c; cabbage salad, 7c; 4 lb. butter, 10c; 1 square bakery angels' food cake, 10c; coffee, 30c, bulk, Mocha, 5c; 1 qt. milk, 5c; celery, 5c; 4 doz. oranges, 10c; cranberry pie, 25c; rice pudding, 25c; salt, pepper, and sugar for coffee, 5c; pickles, 1 doz., 5c; fuel, gasoline, wood or soft coal, 5c; total, \$2.

Cabbage salad—One live cent head chopped fine, over which pour a dressing made of 1 cup vinegar, 1 handful sugar, 1 egg beaten thoroughly, teaspoon salt, a pinch of pepper and a teaspoon of celery seed or mustard. It is well to chop the green celery leaves left when preparing the celery for the table, with the head of cabbage.

Cranberry Pie—3 cups sugar to 1 good-sized pie, so it will jell and not soak crust.

Rice Pudding—2 small cups rice, 1 lb. stoned raisins, 1 teaspoon cinnamon 1 egg well beaten. Place in large pudding dish and add 2 qts. milk. Steam until rice is tender and then brown on top.

Instead of the oranges one could well substitute a qt. can full of some nice home preserved fruit as peaches or plums.—Mrs. W. J. Davis, city.

Buy your tobacco of Wallace Bros. and get a \$15 pipe.

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NEW SUMMER RESORT

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The M., B. H. & C. Ry. Company the Prime Movers in Forwarding the New Resort.

Berrien Springs next season will, if all predictions are true, be one of the most popular summer resorts in southwestern Michigan.

The work there is being pushed rapidly and by the time the summer season opens everything will be completed and in readiness to accommodate the great volume of resorters, expected to flow in.

The Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railway will run trains to that place at short intervals during the week and on Saturdays and Sundays they will run them about one hour apart. The rolling equipment which it will require to handle the large crowds that are expected, consists of ten elegant coaches and two locomotives, built especially for the purpose.

The road will make a special feature heretofore unheard of in the excursion business. They will have fruit packed especially for the purpose and sold on their trains, and which excursionists need not be afraid to buy, as there will be no danger of being imposed upon by such tricks as were played here on our streets last summer by farmers who packed small green fruit in the bottom of baskets and covered over the top with nice ripe fruit.

Berrien Court, the name of the new hotel, is two squares from the post-office and occupies one entire square. It was formerly the Berrien county court house, but it has been undergoing repairs and remodeling for the last four months and as it nears completion it begins to show for itself as being one of the best appointed hotels to be found anywhere. It has electric lights, baths, hot and cold water, and the court room has been converted into a dancing hall. It will also provide carriages for the free use of its guests.

Around Berrien Springs and along the St. Joseph river there are about twenty springs, consisting of sulphur, magnesia, soda and any number of lime springs. Walks and driveways will be constructed so that they will be convenient and of easy access. One spring situated on the bank of the river, flows out of solid rock, great in similarity to the biblical rock which Moses struck.

There will be a boat livery, bathing beach, toboggan slide, two small steamers and everything necessary to the pleasure and enjoyment of the summer visitor.

The Heart Must Not Be Trifled with.—Where there are symptoms of heart weakness, there should be Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart. It's a magical remedy, gives relief in thirty minutes and there are thousands who testify that it cures permanently. Mrs. W. T. Hunkle, of Dundalk, Ont. says: "I was for years unable to attend to my household duties. I used Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart, the result was wonderful, the pain left me immediately after the first dose, and a few bottles cured." Sold by Geo. M. Bell & Co.—13.

SPLIT IN THE POPLIST RANKS.

Middle-of-the-Roaders Cut Loose from the Other Wing of the Party.

St. Louis, Jan. 14.—A new party was born last night in the conference of the Populists, and named the People's party. The People's party proposes to go it alone. It has severed all connections with the national Populist committee and made all arrangements for administering its own estate without the aid or advice of any outside party. With a few exceptions the delegates declared themselves unequivocally in favor of going it alone in the future. The referendum system was most highly complimented, and recommended for use among the middle-of-the-roadsers in settling matters of national importance to the order.

There was a practical agreement among the delegates that a national presidential convention should be held this year. The entire afternoon and evening was spent in lengthy discussion and it was not until a late hour last night that the mode of procedure for future action was agreed upon. Finally a report was adopted in favor of cutting loose from the Populists owing to the fusion consummated at St. Louis in 1896. The referendum committee appointed is as follows: Dixon of Missouri, Tracey of Texas, Reynolds of Illinois, Mattinger of Indiana and McGregor of Georgia.

He Questions Lindsay's Democracy.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 14.—Representative Saunders, Democrat, of Union county, yesterday introduced a resolution in the house of representatives questioning the Democracy of United States Senator William Lindsay, and asking his resignation. The resolution was referred to the committee on petitions and grievances by a viva voce vote, which disposes of it for all time. The resolution recites the fact that Lindsay has voted against the Democratic party as represented by Bryan and the Chicago platform and calls upon him to resign as he no longer represents the party that elected him.

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.
FRIDAY, JAN. 14, 1898.

THE riots that occurred in Havana, or rather in the newspapers, were evidently for the purpose of exciting Americans to take rash action.

THE house of representatives has refused to stop the free distribution of government seeds. The congressmen find the giving away of garden seeds as a cheap way of taffying the farmers.

THE Davies people again appear to have Vice President Deam down. Mr. Deam has been reported in that position before but just as his opponents try to sit on him he generally gets away. The same may happen again.

THE fact that the Manistee lumber concern does not come here asking for a bonus is reason to encourage everyone in the belief that Benton Harbor will soon have the addition of a real institution as large and glorious as the citizens have often seen in their dreams.

THE Niles Star has started a hot campaign against local option. To rid Niles of her eleven saloons, it argues, means that the city will be deprived of \$750 per year. The Niles paper declares that wiping out the saloons means more vacant stores and that the net would be "sinful."

THE EVENING NEWS unknowingly did its good friend, Colonel Bean, an injustice last evening in stating that the Berrien Springs lighting contract was for one year. It appears that it runs for five or ten years, and that the village has the option to buy the plant at cost after 18 months. The long friendship existing between the colonel and THE NEWS will not be marred or broken by this slight inadvertence.

Cooley Party at Managua.
Managua, Nicaragua, via Galveston, Jan. 14.—The party of Chicago and other contractors and capitalists under the leadership of Lyman E. Cooley, of Chicago, has arrived here. All the members of the party are well. They will thoroughly examine the route of the proposed maritime canal through Nicaragua.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.
The inventory of the estate of George M. Pullman shows its value at \$7,600,000. The dealers in single lines of goods in Denver are combining against the department stores.
Proprietors of fifteen clothing stores in LaCrosse, Wis., have agreed to early closing during the year 1898.
Miss Grace Anson, daughter of the noted base ball player, was married at Chicago Wednesday to Walter H. Clough.
Thirty-five men direct from Dawson City have arrived in Seattle. They brought down \$100,000 in gold dust, less than \$3,000 apiece.
The Stevenson block at Russellville, Ky., was burned. George Collins, fireman, was caught under a falling wall and crushed to death.
The executive committee of the League of American Municipalities has decided to hold the next convention in Detroit on Aug. 1 to 4 inclusive.
There has been a tax riot at Borlavi, near Nariad, in the Gujarat district, India. A collector was seriously injured and five sepoys were killed.
The gold yield of Australia for the month of November last was as follows: Queensland, 78,024 ounces; West Australia, 75,040. Victoria, 70,177.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional cure on the (It is taken internally in doses of a teaspoonful. It acts on the blood and mucous surface system. They offer one dollar for any case it fails to cure, and for circulars and testimonials, address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pilly are the best.

Notice to Water Takers.
Users of city water are reminded that water rentals for the current term were due January 1, 1898. The ordinance provides that where rental is not paid within 10 days from time due the water may be shut off without further notice. No provision is made for sending out a collector, and parties taking water should call at the clerk's office promptly and pay their bills. The clerk is ordered and expected to shut off water after waiting a reasonable time for payment.
All persons are forbidden to use water from hydrants or taps not belonging to themselves, except in cases where special permits are granted, and all persons having taps or hydrants are warned not to allow others to take water from the same, under penalty of having water shut off. This rule will be strictly enforced.
R. P. CHADDOCK,
Clerk Water Dept't.
Have glasses fitted by Dr. Antisdale.

Hanna's Enemies to Carry the Struggle Right Up to the United States Senate.

BASE THEIR CONTEST ON BRIBERY.

Tom Campbell Sues the Ohio State Journal for Libel and Wants \$100,000—Senate Committee Subpoenas Hanna and Other Leaders to Testify as to the Alleged Corruption—Mason's Seat as Speaker Getting Uneasy—Populist Party is Split.

Columbus, O., Jan. 14.—Hanna and the members of the legislature went home yesterday. All will return by Tuesday next. The leaders on both sides are still here preparing for another fight next week. The opposition to Hanna was defeated in his election, but it proposes to fight now against him being seated for the long term. His enemies say that they have not the time to interfere on the short term, but they will press the bribery charges, as such charges were pressed on Henry B. Payne fourteen years ago, to the United States senate. Subpoenas have been issued for Hanna, Dick, Hollenbeck, Boyce and others, to appear before the senate committee next Tuesday night. Libel suits have been brought against several Republican papers for damages in connection with the bribery charges, notably one by T. C. Campbell for \$100,000 against the Ohio State Journal.

Wants the Bribery Inquiry Pushed.
Among the managers for Hanna still here and to remain till the investigation is completed is Hon. E. G. Rathbone, who says he wants the bribery investigation pushed to the last ditch. He says those who were in that business are raising the cry against others, and that the investigation will show who is guilty and who is being persecuted as well as slandered. While the senate committee of which Burke is chairman began its investigation yesterday, the house committee will not be appointed till next Tuesday. The Otis resolution was adopted in the house yesterday, but Speaker Mason wanted time for the selection of the five men to do the investigation.

Mason Preparing for a Fall.
As Speaker Mason is anticipating an attempt to oust him he is disposed to confer with the members before naming the house committee. In the standing committees announced by Speaker Mason yesterday it was seen that he gave the Republicans who voted for Hanna good places. But it is said that the latter will not accept the olive branch and a majority has signed a document to oust Mason and the other officers. Speaker Mason has never missed a moment out of his chair during the sessions of the past two weeks. As speaker pro tem Griffith is now with the Hanna members Mason knows that in his absence a resolution would be offered and adopted to reorganize the house.

Reorganization May Raise a Row.
As Mason will refuse to recognize any one offering such a resolution there are those who expect violence in the house before the proposed reorganization is effected. Mason was very arbitrary in his rulings yesterday and the Republican members are ready to resort to desperate efforts next week for reorganization. As the fusion Republican members from Cincinnati were assured of support on the Republican side for certain bills for the reorganization of their city their support, with the exception of Otis, is counted on in displacing Mason. The Democratic side is depended on to support the Cincinnati bills in any event.

Foraker Congratulates the Winner.
Almost another thousand congratulatory telegrams were received for Hanna against yesterday and forwarded to him at Cleveland. They include his colleagues in the senate, including Foraker, who wired: "I congratulate you, not only upon your election, but also upon your happy remarks to the general assembly." Some of these congratulatory telegrams continue to denounce "traitors" in the severest language. At the justification meetings in some counties the resignation is demanded by resolution of Charles L. Kurtz as the Ohio member of the Republican national committee.

Tippecanoe Club Takes Action.
Cleveland, Jan. 14.—The Tippecanoe club last night adopted resolutions asking Senator Burke, Representatives Bramley and Mason, Mayor McKisson and Corporation Counsel Norton, who were active in opposing the candidacy of Senator Hanna, to resign. Mayor McKisson made a speech in which he refused to resign. The directors will be asked to expel the five members.



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Men's Storm Ulsters	3.98	Elegant Cotton Batten per roll	44c	Ladies' Elegant Capes and Jackets	2.98
Men's Durable Pants	.59	Ladies' and Men's Underwear	.19	Only 4 \$20. Plush Coats left, each	10.00
Boys' strong school suits	.98	Children's Underwear	.10	Ladies' Dress Skirts	1.98
Boys' elegant Ulsters and Reefers	1.98	Men's and Boys' Heavy Lined Duck Coats	.80	Men's and Boy's Sweaters	.19
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1 pkg white chip soap	.05	1 package sweet chocolate	07
1 sack salt	.03	Oat meal per package	08
12 bars soap	.25	8 pounds of best oat meal	25
Salt pork per pound	.05	1 gal oil can with wood jacket	10
6 bars Ivory soap	.25	1 lb Sal Soda	02
1 lb crackers	.05	1 lb Rice	05
1 lb good coffee	.10	1 pkg Arm & Hammer Saleratus	05
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1 lb can Salmon	.10	Allspice, Cloves, Pepper, Mustard in	
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The worm had turned.—London Fun.

The Test of Good Nature.

Fuddy—There is one thing that can be said of Mercer—he lives up to the injunction of the golden rule.

Duddy—In what manner, pray?

Fuddy—When he tells Groper a good story, Groper never laughs at it, but when a few days later Groper tells the same story to Mercer Mercer laughs as though he would split.—Boston Transcript.

Takes His Part.

"Well," remarked the comedian, who had been promised a small part after being idle half the season, "even a small role is better than a whole loaf." —Philadelphia Record.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

EXPLOSIVE Motto social at the M. E. parsonage this evening.

Miss Carrie Westcott is reviewing her studies at the Benton Harbor college.

THE board of public works could not get a quorum together last night for a meeting.

THE tracks of the M. B. H. & C. road are not under water as was reported yesterday.

M. W. JENNINGS now has 156 signers to his local option petition in the second ward.

PROSECUTING Attorney Valentine is conducting some criminal business in Niles today.

GEORGE F. Cunningham is organizing a camp of Modern Woodmen at Pearl Grange.

ALL members of the board of directors of the Alger Guard are requested to meet at the office of the City Steam laundry tonight at 7 o'clock to meet the entertainment committee and arrange for the coming entertainment.

C. B. SNYDER, representing the South Bend remedy company, was in the city today and made arrangements with Dr. George M. Bell & Co. to handle the remedies of this company as advertised in THE NEWS. Mr. Snyder is a clever salesman.

ENGINEER A. A. Johnson today measured the distance from the post-office to the West Michigan depot. He made the distance 1288 feet. The government orders this distance remeasured every few months. It is evidently the idea of Uncle Sam that the post-office and depot are moving away from each other.

SOME time ago the officials of the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railroad offered a gold prize for the best descriptive article advertising the advantages of Berrien Springs. The recent developments as to the good that the company proposes to do the Springs explains the use they will make of their prize article.

THE Evening News Newsboys' band have been engaged to give a concert at the North United Brethren church in Pipestone on Friday evening, January 28, two weeks from tonight. The band expects to have the assistance of little Marion Barton of St. Joseph, and her small sister. The concert will be under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of North Pipestone.

THE Congregation at the First Baptist church last evening nearly filled the house. The Evangelist preached from the subject, "She hath done what she could." He spoke very pointedly to those church members who were lukewarm and indifferent. In the after meeting a large number gave testimony to the value of the christian's hope and work. The closing prayers were marked with a deep solemnity. The outlook for the success of these revival meetings is very bright.

Don't Run Any Risks about health, Avoid coughs, colds, fever, pneumonia and all other similar ailments by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable and do not purge, pain or gripe. All druggists.

HINTS TO BARGAIN SEEKERS.

Business Announcements That Pay to Consider.

Herr Brothers will hold an extraordinary coffee sale tomorrow. See their prices in advertising space.

J. J. Barnes & Son quote butter at 16 cents for tomorrow.

The shoe store just purchased by Dr. S. M. White will be opened for business at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

J. C. Calkins is selling a pound of good baking powder, a cup, saucer and plate all for 25 cents.

Buy your tobacco of Wallace Bros. and get a \$15 pipe.

The Globe clothing and shoe store is moved to 112 Pipestone street.

Buy your stationery of Wallace Bros. and get a \$75 bicycle.

For Sale

The undivided one-half of the Hall & Nichols' corner.

Best paying piece of real estate in Benton Harbor.

Title perfect, terms easy, For particulars as to rentals, taxes, insurance, etc., inquire of

EDGAR NICHOLS.

Be-Player Plummer instructs the Game Warden.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Jan. 14.—W. A. Palmer, Esq., Buohanan, Mich. Dear Sir: Of all evils that beset a republican form of government, none is greater than a lack of knowledge of the law of the official who is its executive officer. A striking example is a letter from you in relation to the writer, which appeared in the daily papers of this city.

Under the law you are one of the protectors of the wild game of this commonwealth, and notwithstanding your zeal, I am sorry to say you exhibit a taint of this great evil, lack of knowledge of law under which you act. Pardon the expression, but compare your letter with the law, act 159 of law 1897 is your charter. It is full, explicit and so plain that a novice can understand its provisions, and notwithstanding this, you wholly failed to notice the effect of one of its sections.

Section 34 reads as follows: "Nothing in this act contained shall be construed as prohibiting B. R. Sterns or George B. Tatman, both of Benton Harbor, Mich., and their guests from pursuing or hunting deer or other wild game of this state, at any time, in any manner or at any place, they or either of them may deem best, as their efforts heretofore have never been detrimental to animal life."

The writer in the hunt of last fall was a guest of Messrs. Sterns and Tatman, and courts will take judicial notice of this fact. I might add parenthetically that a guest of these gentlemen is only expected to administer Old Prentice to them, which is an antidote for "buck fever." This was prescribed by Dr. Hobbs, also a guest, who accompanied the party to study the deer, artistically. Mr. Dester also a party but not a guest, came within the ban of the law, except as to the number of deer he might kill and as to this requirement he is not limited. I will not quote this provision of the statute as I presume you are familiar with it. Be more careful in the future in your legal researches. Respectfully,

A. PLUMMER.



THIS MAN

has been making shoes for forty years and learned to make them better and better every year.

J. B. LEWIS CO'S
"Wear Resisters"

have become famous everywhere for their comfort, stability and beauty. Made in all styles and sizes for men, women and children. Look for "Lewis" on each shoe.

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Dealers in Almost Everything

Tri-Weekly to Chicago.

The steamer City of Duluth will leave Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings for Chicago. Fare each way, including berth, \$1.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANS. CO.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, cures constipation forever 10c. 25c. If C.C.C. fail, druggists refund money.

Bicycles.

New and second hand bicycles at lowest prices. Wheels repaired and enameled. We also handle a full line of pumps and well supplies. We are putting up the Fairbank wind mill. All work guaranteed. Everything at lowest prices. **ORIN CYCLE CO.,** 694tf 145 Pipestone St.

One Fare to Indianapolis and Return.
The Big Four, January 23, 24 and 25, will sell tickets at one fare to Indianapolis and return on account of Monetary convention. L. G. SMITH, agent.

Lister's Bone Meal.

This famous bone meal which has stood the test of years may be obtained by leaving orders with H. P. Boehm, Benton Harbor, or with the general agent, 1681

C. H. FARNUM, Hagar.

Embroidery Notice.

Ladies desiring to learn the art of embroidering can do so of Mrs. George Alger, 150 Garfield avenue. Two hour lessons for 35 cents. Samples of work can be seen and arrangements as to hours can be made at McOmber's Fair store, West Main street. 701tf

Bicycles are going at cost at Burk hard's this week. 633tf

You can get a cheap bicycle at Burk hard's.

Notice.

For parties, entertainments, class and social gatherings, leave orders at 158 Pipestone street, for Hollis' mandolin and guitar orchestra. Prices reasonable. 64698

..THE NEW YORK STORE

\$15,000 Worth
..of

Dry Goods, Cloaks, Boots and Shoes

Slightly damaged by smoke and water. As a result we offer even greater than ever

Tempting After-Xmas Reductions - -

This is the time of big Sacrifices on our part.

Clearing Sale Dress Patterns

Remnants, and Fall and Winter Dress Goods, accumulations from the month's great selling, to be sold at what we call "Wonder Prices," (considering the values.)

Blankets and Comforters

A rare chance to buy warm cotton and wool blankets at from 25 to 33 1/2 per cent off regular prices.

Lace Curtains

Bargains to clear the endless odd lots left from last week's busy whirl, all are to go without reserve at 25 per cent off.

This sale is being recognized as the time of all times, the place of all places, to buy, as everything in this stock has been reduced for sure going. Every Department full of bargains go to make this the greatest sale on record.

RAPP & CO.

The New York Store,

107 Pipestone Street

OUR SECOND

..ANNUAL



Grand Cash Discount Sale..

Commencing Jan. 1, 1898...

A cash discount of 25 per cent will be given to every purchaser of the following

DRY GOODS

Silks and Velvets, Black and Colored Dress Goods, Wool Blankets, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels, Ladies', Children's and Men's Winter Underwear, Wool Hosiery, Corsets, Kid Gloves, Beaver Shawls, Ladies' and Gents' Handkerchiefs' Lace Curtains, Ladies' Fleeced Lined Wrappers, Ready Made Skirts, Etc.

A cash discount of 25 per cent on all purchases of 50c and upwards at the

Chicago Bargain Store

Leaders of Low and Popular Prices.

106 East Main Street, Hotel Benton Block, Benton Harbor.

SPECIALS THIS WEEK

Our qualities at the price have not been matched and will not be beaten in 1897.

The warm weather has left us with more Underwear than we should have at this season, and we will make prices that should clear the tables and benefit consumers.

We have 15 dozen Men's natural grey, breasted, fleece lined shirts, with drawers to match, will be closed out, the suit for

10 dozen Men's ribbed Jersey Fleece, ecru color, shirts and drawers, the suit for...

10 dozen Boys' grey Jersey ribbed fleeced shirts and drawers, sizes 16 to 34, each at...

A few Silk Ribbons still in stock, Nos. 5 to 40, at the old price of 5c and 10c.

In Handkerchiefs we cannot mention the many styles and prices. One of the desirable things is a Gents' fine hemstitched, full size, Silkline, at 12c, and a Ladies' white, all linen, hemstitched, 8c each.

Our Grocery Dept. is Becoming More Complete

Every day and the prices continue to make it popular. If you have trouble in getting a tea or coffee to suit, just give us a trial. Our blended goods cannot be beat, and prices range from 12c for a good fresh roasted Santos coffee to 40c for the best goods shown in this city.

..FOR THE HOLIDAYS We have added a line of KRAZ FINE FRESH CANDIES..

Also mixed candies at 6c lb. in 1-lb packages only. Mixed nuts at 10c qt. Raisins at all prices.

Family Lard at 5c lb. Michigan Family Soap, 10 bars 25c. True Bros. Pure Buckwheat Flour at 2 1/2c lb.

..HIGHEST MARKET PRICES PAID FOR BUTTER AND EGGS..

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Plans and Specifications Furnished for all Classes of Work.
Estimates Given Free of Charge.
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It will pay you to call and see us before building.
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Shampooing
—AND—
Hairdressing
Parlors...
Beautiful Faces
Made to Order

MADAME J. DE CANTER has opened parlors at room 6 and 8, Newland Block. Switches made to order. Hair goods for sale. Also a fine assortment of toilet articles for sale. No extra charge for going to the house.

G. W. Closson

thanks the public for their generous patronage during the past year, and wishes to announce that in connection with his

'BUS AND BAGGAGE

line, he has put on a

10 Cent Express

for the accommodation of all persons desiring such. Headquarters at Hotel Benton. Residence telephone, No. 111.

Benton Harbor Bicycle Works

All kinds of repairing done on short notice. General machine repairs a specialty. Skates sharpened. Bicycles cleaned, re-named and generally overhauled. Special prices on this class of work if brought in before February 1, 1898.

A. F. SCHOELZ, Prop.

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Practical Roofers, Tin, Iron, Steel, Asbestos and Felt

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and Roof Painting and Repairing in connection with our foundry and machine shop we deal in new and second hand

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and machinery of all kinds. Also manufacturers of

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L.C. R.R. Announcements

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EVERY MONDAY

FROM CHICAGO

through to Los Angeles and San Francisco, via New Orleans, in connection with the Southern Pacific Co., leaving Chicago on its first "New Orleans Limited" train at 5 p. m. The Limited also connects at New Orleans daily with express train for the Pacific coast, and on Tuesdays and Saturdays (after January 4th, 1898), with the

SUNSET LIMITED ANNEX

of the Southern Pacific, giving special through service to San Francisco.

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Daily through service to Jacksonville from St. Louis, and from Chicago via the Illinois Central and connecting lines, by way of Holly Springs, Birmingham, Albany and Waycross.

Through Sleeping Car to Jacksonville

from St. Louis (8:51 p. m.), and no change of sleeping car from Chicago (5 p. m.) except from one car to another on same train, at a seasonable hour in the morning. Through reservations to Jacksonville.

Tickets and full information concerning the above can be had of agents of the "Central" and connecting lines.

A. H. HANSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agent, Chicago, 600-207

WEAK MEN CURED, BY NERVE DROPS.

IT MAKES LIFE WORTH LIVING.

This great remedy CURES all Nervous Diseases such as Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, Loss of Manhood, Nightly Emissions, Evil Dreams; and strengthens the Generative Organs of either sex and may be impaired through youthful errors, which soon lead to Consumption and insanity. Sold with a guarantee to cure, or money refunded. \$1 per box, six for \$5. Easily carried in vest pocket. Write us for FREE BOOK and TESTIMONIALS. Ask our Druggists for them! Take no other.—Or address

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LADIES' CIRCLE G. A. R. REGULAR
meetings second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 2:30 p. m., in G. A. R. hall.
Mrs. ELLIS D. PLYMER, President.
Mrs. NELLIE L. WARD, Secretary.

BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER
of Patrons, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall.
JOHN SELFIDGE, Justice.
W. H. ANDREWS, clerk.

K NIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON
Test, No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall Regular review second and fourth Fridays in each month.
G. W. FALLES, Com.
R. P. CHADBOKE, R. M.

BENTON LODGE NO. 123, I. O. O. F., MEETS
every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.
ONA G. BENNEY, N. G.
BURT O. JOHNSON, Sec'y.

LADIES OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON
Hive, No. 548, meet at Odd Fellows' hall, first and third Wednesday nights of each month.
EMMA CANTRELL, Commander.
MARGARET MURRAY, Record Keeper.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER
Camp No. 40, commencing April 30, meet every other Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.
JOHN F. GRIFFIN, Consul Commander.
JOHN F. HARPER, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, IVY
Camp No. 10, meet every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Main street. Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained.
B. L. HALL, V. C.
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Do a General Banking Business. ..Savings Department..

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How Trains Run WEST MICHIGAN.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY
In effect Dec. 1, 1897.

Going South			Going North		
a. m.	p. m.	Stations.	a. m.	p. m.	a. m.
8:45	1:25	Grand Rapids	1:25	10:35	6:30
12:10	3:50	Benton Harbor	10:35	8:05	3:00
12:25	3:55	St. Joseph	10:50	8:50	2:10
1:20	4:50	Chicago	7:20	5:15	11:30
p. m.	p. m.		a. m.	p. m.	p. m.

DETROIT, G.D. RAPIDS & WESTERN R. R.
Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:35 p. m., and 5:25 p. m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:30 p. m. Parlor cars on all trains; seats 20 cents.

Geo. DEHAVEN, Gen. Pass. Agt., Grand Rapids. JAR. MAHONEY, Act., Benton Harbor.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY.
MICHIGAN DIVISION.

No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:00 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p. m. Elk hart accommodation. Arrive at Benton Harbor at No. 28, 8:50 a. m. No. 22, 2:10 p. m. No. 24, 4:40

VANDALIA LINE.

Taking effect Sept. 28, 1897

South bound.			North bound.		
No. 15	No. 3	Stations.	No. 6	No. 17	
1:15	10:30	St. Joseph	2:15	9:15	
5:45	11:05	Baroda	1:51	8:43	
6:12	11:29	Gallien	1:34	8:16	
7:00	12:08	South Bend	12:53	7:30	
	2:20	Logansport	10:36		
	5:45	Indianapolis	7:20		
	6:35	Terre Haute	6:10		
	p. m.		a. m.		

All trains daily except Sunday.

For complete time card giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates through cars etc. address

FRANK R. HALE, Agent St. Joseph, Mich. E. A. FORD, Gen. Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo.

Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co.

TIME TABLE.

Effective Sunday, December 5, 1897.

Going South			Going North		
No. 3	No. 1	Stations.	No. 2	No. 4	
Daily	Daily		Daily	Daily	
Ex. Ex. from	Ex. Ex. from		Ex. Ex. from	Ex. Ex. from	
Sun. Sun. H. H.	Sun. Sun. H. H.		Sun. Sun. H. H.	Sun. Sun. H. H.	
p. m.	a. m.		a. m.	p. m.	
4:00	7:00	Lv Ben. H'rbr Ar	11:20	8:45	
4:16	7:14	8.2 Royaltown	11:01	8:27	
4:25	7:21	11.4 Hinchman	10:52	8:19	
4:42	7:33	16.5 Berrien Springs	10:38	8:06	
4:51	7:41	19.5 Okland	10:26	7:55	
5:10	8:00	27.0 Ar Buchanan Lv	10:00	7:30	

*Stop on Signal only.

Connections—No. 1 with M. C. No. 21 west. No. 4 with M. C. No. 14 east. No. 2 with M. C. No. 6 east and C. & W. M. No. 1 south. No. 4 with C. & W. M. No. 4 south and No. 3 north.

Benton Harbor Depot—E. Territorial Street

L. O. SCHAEFER, General Agent. H. E. DICKINSON, Gen. Frt. & Pass. Agt.

Dr. Freemyer, Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.

Specialist of years of experience in the treatment of diseases of the human system in all their various forms. Hemorrhoids, tumors and fistulas removed without pain. All diseases of the Pelvic and Rectal organs treated and cured no matter how long standing. Don't give up hope if you have been told there is no help for you but consult the doctor. Office corner Washington and Ross streets. Hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4. All calls will receive prompt attention. Correspondence solicited with return stamp for reply.

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Any one sending a sketch and description may quickly ascertain our opinion free whether an invention is patentable. Communications strictly confidential. Handbooks on Patents sent free. Oldest agency for securing patents. Patents taken through Munn & Co. receive special notice, without charge. \$1 per box, six for \$5. Easily carried in vest pocket. Write us for FREE BOOK and TESTIMONIALS. Ask our Druggists for them! Take no other.—Or address

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NATIONAL UNITED MINE WORKERS.

No Business of Importance Except to Complete Election of Officers.

Columbus, O., Jan. 14.—Almost the entire day was spent by the national convention of the United Mine Workers of America in electing officers. Outside of this no business of importance was transacted. John Mitchell, of Illinois, was elected vice president; W. C. Pearce, of Ohio, was re-elected secretary without opposition. There were forty-eight candidates for the six positions on the executive board and the vote was so close that the result was not announced. The following delegates were elected to the American Federation of Labor: M. D. Ratchford and T. L. Lewis, of Ohio; John M. Hunter, of Illinois, and John Fahey, of Pennsylvania.

David Ross, commissioner of labor of Illinois, addressed the convention. He advised the miners to demand an advance at the joint conference with the operators. Both sides, he said, would have to make concessions, however, to secure an adjustment of wages. The delegates to the convention have decided to leave Sunday morning for Chicago to attend the joint convention. The scale committee has not yet formulated its report and it is being awaited with a great deal of interest by the delegates. It will embody the demands to be made at the joint convention. A demand of 10 cents per ton advance is generally favored.

Opposed to Putting Up More Bars.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Officers of 150 German societies of Chicago have mailed an extensively-signed circular to every member of congress protesting against any legislation which will restrict immigration. The letter, in addition to the names of representatives of German societies is signed by the editors of a number of German, Irish, Swedish, Italian and other newspapers published here. The letter says in one place: "We shall oppose the renomination and re-election of all members of congress who vote for the further restriction of immigration."

Michigan Land Sale Statistics.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 14.—The fifty-fifth annual report of the commissioner of the state land office shows that the total number of acres of land held by the state is 792,279.84. The total number of acres sold during the year was 9,148.31; number of acres of swamp land licensed, 3,056.20; number of acres of tax homestead land entered, 56,689.69; total, 71,894.20. This left a total of 720,385.64 acres subject to sale and homestead entry at the close of the year.

Another International Incident Closed.

London, Jan. 14.—The authorities have decided to recognize the question of "diplomatic privileges" in the case of Spencer Edday, secretary of United States Ambassador Hay, and J. E. White, son of Henry White, who were recently charged at the Maidenhead county court on summonses with riding bicycles on sidewalks, and their prosecution will be dropped.

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever used." Sold by G. H. Bell & Co., Druggists, Benton Harbor, 140 Main street.

FASHION HINTS.

Latest Styles in Useful and Ornamental Outer Garments.

Parisian women who have occasion to wear elegant costumes through the street cover them with long redingotes or mantles of silk waterproof. These are very prettily made and trimmed, but are laid aside immediately upon entering the house, even if a call of only a few minutes' duration is to be made. They are worn simply to preserve the gown from dust, dampness and other injury while walking.

Velvet is the favorite trimming material. It is used for yokes, in bands and in ruffles, and all varieties are seen—plaid, striped, embroidered, fancy and plain velvet.

Chenille is a revived decoration and is successfully employed on cloth incrustated with velvet, the chenille being used to outline the applied designs. Nets of chenille studded with steel or jet are introduced as a millinery trimming and sometimes cover entire hats.

The characteristic feature of this season is the blouse jacket. In velvet, in cloth, embroidered with braid or cord and in fur, it is almost universally worn. Otter,



EVENING CAPE.

caracul, astrakhan and chinchilla are the furs most used for blouses, which are always made with a short basque and belted in with a more or less ornamental girdle. A decorative buckle at least is worn, and often the belt is embroidered with metal and jewels or is of filigree or enamel.

Fur is worn more extensively than ever by both children and women, but the less costly varieties alone are used for little people, astrakhan being usually preferred for them.

An illustration is given of an evening wrap of sky blue broche silk. It is mounted on a yoke of white satin, embroidered with gold and colored silks, and there are stole ends to match, between which is a plaited front of white liberty satin. Around the yoke is a deep ruffle of lace with a beading. The valois collar is lined with white mongolie.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All drug stores refund the money if it fails to cure. See the genuine has L. B. P. on each tablet.

AN INNOVATION IN RAILROADING.

A Parlor-Cafe Car Now Running on Daylight Special of Illinois Central between Chicago and St. Louis.

The Illinois Central has substituted for the parlor car, formerly running on its day train between Chicago and St. Louis, a new composite parlor-cafe car, built for the Company at the Pullman Shops especially for service on its fast, vestibule, solid "Daylight Special" train to St. Louis. The parlor, in the Empire style, is finished in mahogany, with darker panels of the same, the latter being richly inlaid with marquetry composed of various shaded woods. Its furnishing includes easy, luxurious revolving arm-chairs, upholstered with green frieze plush. The ceiling overhead (in which are fixed brilliant Pintsch gas chandeliers of the latest pattern) are decorated in gold, and in color and design are in harmony, as also is the rich Wilton carpet on the floor beneath, with the plush and mahogany finish of the rest of the room. The cafe in general design and color scheme in harmony with the parlor, and has tables at which parties of four may be seated, and tables at which couples can dine tete-a-tete. A complete kitchen adjoins the cafe, and meals will be served en route from a varied menu at reasonable prices; the cafe feature to be conducted in the same general way for patrons of the entire train as are the cafe cars on the Central running West out of Chicago, and which have proved so popular. The car also contains a gentleman's smoking room, in connection with which is a buffet from which cigars and liquid refreshments can be obtained. The car as a whole is of substantial construction and elegant finish. The features of this car are particularly adapted to Hot Springs, Ark., travel, the Daylight special leaving Chicago every forenoon, making the run to St. Louis in eight hours, and giving good connection in Union Station with trains for Hot Springs.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage dated on the 12th day of June, 1893, made by Herbert Wilson and Lotie Wilson, his wife, of Benton Harbor, Michigan, to June E. Steere of the same place, Berrien county, Michigan, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Berrien county, Michigan, on the 22nd day of June, 1893, in liber 60 of mortgages on page 113, by which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative. There is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note accompanying the same at the date of this notice, six hundred and ninety-two dollars (\$692) and no suit at law or equity has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof. Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and of the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 25th day of January, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph, County of Berrien, State of Michigan, (that being the place where the circuit court for the County of Berrien is held), the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the lands and premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof, as may be necessary to satisfy the said amount due and interest, and costs and expenses of sale, including attorney fee as provided in said mortgage. The land to be sold is described as follows: Lot 2 in block 1 in Hansen's addition to Benton Harbor, according to the plat thereof in Benton Harbor, Berrien county, Michigan. Dated Oct. 27, 1897

JANE E. STIERE, Mortgagee

PLUMMER & RIFORD, Attorneys for Mortgagee.

IRONICAL DE ARMOND

He Thinks Hanna's Telegram to the President a Wonderful Composition.

CRITICISES THE RESULT IN OHIO.

Thinks It a Wonder the Republican Party Lives Where God Reigns—New Yorker Replies to the Missouriian—Ohio Senator a Baffler of Political Bosses, He Says—Senators Continue to Wax Eloquent Over the Annexation of Hawaii.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The house yesterday completed the consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill in committee of the whole, and then adjourned upon the motion of those opposed to the printing of another edition of the famous "horse book." There was the annual fight over the question of free seed distribution to the farmers, but the effort to strike out the appropriation (\$130,000) failed as usual, the majority against it yesterday being 135. One of the important amendments adopted provided for the inspection of horse meat for export purposes in the same way that the meat of cattle and other animals is now inspected. During the debate some criticism of the proceedings in the senatorial election in Ohio from DeArmond called forth a warm defense of Hanna from Mahany (Rep.) of New York.

Something He Cannot Understand. When DeArmond got the floor he began his criticism by reading the telegram sent by Hanna to President McKinley: "God reigns, and the Republican party still lives." The telegram, said he, was unique. That God reigned there was no room to doubt; therefore the latter clause of the telegram was the more wonderful. With cutting irony he proceeded to read and comment on some of the telegrams of congratulation sent to Hanna from this city, including those of President McKinley, Senator Hawley and others. Commenting on the president's telegram he asked how the return of Hanna could be beneficial to the country, save in an example to be avoided. He said in the course of his remarks that Hanna was the truest, best exponent and representative of modern Republicanism.

Mahany Replies to DeArmond. DeArmond's remarks brought Mahany to his feet. In a brief speech he replied to the remarks of the Missouriian. "In 1892," said he, "the American people witnessed the spectacle of the Democratic party meeting in its national convention and despite the unanimous protest of New York state nominating for the presidency of his own commonwealth. It was the bosses of the Democratic party who 'perpetrated this outrage upon the rank and file of the Democratic masses.' Then with denunciation of Cleveland the speaker declared that the bosses had formed a pool to syndicate the presidency, when Hanna blocked their plans. The presidency at that time was sure to go Republican, because 'the conscience of the Democratic party had risen up and hurled down to oblivion Cleveland and Clevelandism.'"

Cannon Likes Treachery Rebuked. Cannon of Illinois expressed his gratification over the election of Hanna. It was a triumph of the majority and of political honesty. He did not believe, he said, that any gentleman on the other side could rise and place his hand on his heart and honestly say that he was not glad treachery had been rebuked.

ONLY "PRELIMINARY REMARKS"

Which Opens a Limitless View of the Debate on Annexation.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The senate did not make great progress with the Hawaiian annexation treaty yesterday. Several speeches were delivered, but in every instance the speakers announced that their remarks were merely preliminary to what they should say before the close of the debate. The executive session opened with White on the floor, but Stewart interrupted and others cut the California senator out of the discussion. Those who spoke were Stewart, Frye and Morgan. Stewart supported the treaty and was the first senator to discuss the question of sugar in connection with the subject. He said all the islands had reached their limit in the production of sugar and for this reason the producers of beet sugar and cane sugar need not be alarmed.

He said there were many natives of Hawaiian in California and that they were well regarded there. White interrupted to ask why if the Kanakas were so well thought of they had not been consulted on the question of annexation. Stewart replied that throughout their history, up to recent years, they had been anxious to have their country become a part of the United States, but he didn't say how he knew that to be a fact. Frye discussed the matter briefly entirely from a military standpoint, and in favor of annexation. Morgan made the principal speech of the day and occupied the time of the senate until it adjourned. He will continue today.

During his speech Morgan said he believed it was the intention of President Cleveland to have restored Queen Liliuokalani to her throne and after that transaction to have opened negotiations for the annexation of the islands under her reign.

Chandler wanted to know what authority there was for this assertion. Morgan replied that there was no special authority, but that he was expressing his opinion.

White asked if this treaty was not a trade with the provisional government and what was to be done regarding the natives and their rights. Morgan said that he had fully answered that question in a previous portion of his remarks, but he would review the subject for the benefit of the California senator.

In the early part of the present century, he said, Vancouver went to the islands and on his third trip the then king of the islands, a native, said he would cede them to Great Britain and acknowledged the sovereignty of England. But Vancouver never returned.

As to the oft-repeated assertion that the United States was trying to absorb the islands without the wish of the Kanakas, Morgan said that for the last 100 years the government of the islands and the people of the islands were anxious to secure sovereignty of a strong power and secure a local self-government. He said that they were picturesque people who would be much better off under a government by the United States.

TIME TO CLOSE THE DEBATE.

Opinion of a Fort Wayne Man as to the Monetary Question.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The hearing of the monetary commission in behalf of its bill for currency reform was resumed before the banking and currency committee of the house yesterday. T. J. Bush, of Alabama, who was heard Wednesday, gave an additional explanation. The examination of ex-Secretary Fairchild was then resumed, and he further explained the banking features of the commission's bill. Robert S. Taylor, of Fort Wayne, appeared before the committee next. He spoke in behalf of the bill prepared by the monetary commission. Taylor then carefully elucidated the provisions of the bill. In the course of his statement he said:

"It is time to close the debate. We have had talk enough, experience enough, disaster enough. For five years the business of this country has been in a state of strain. The beating back of the free silver assault has relieved it for the moment, but only for the moment. The inherent weaknesses of the system remain, and will remain while the money of the country and its standard of value continue to be the subject of party strife and liable to change at any session of congress. This bill enacted into law will afford the people of the country a sense of security, a sense of confidence which is a whole Bible of finance."

Taylor had not concluded when the hearing went over for the day.

McKenna's Nomination Reported.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The nomination of Attorney General McKenna to be a justice of the United States supreme court was reported to the senate yesterday and Senator Hoar sought to have it acted upon. Objection was made, however, and it went over.

Bill for a Lake Gunboat.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Senator McMillan, from the naval affairs committee, yesterday favorably reported a bill for the construction on the great lakes of a gunboat to cost not exceeding \$260,000, exclusive of armament. The bill raises no international question.

Blair Has a Free Coinage Bill.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Blair, of Missouri, introduced a free coinage bill in the house yesterday. It makes gold and silver the standard and declares all rules discriminating against the legal tender of such coinage as unlawful.

MORE DISTURBANCE AT HAVANA.

Loyalists Raise Another Mob Against an Objectionable Newspaper.

Havana, Jan. 14.—About noon yesterday a crowd gathered in front of the offices of El Diario de la Marina shouting "Death to Diario." General Aroulas used the regular troops to restore order and to compel the dispersal of the crowd, which kept up a continuous shouting on the streets near Central park. These people accuse El Diario de la Marina of being responsible for all the attacks made upon army officers and Spanish residents in the island. They say that La Discusion and El Reconcentrado received their cue from El Diario. A man selling El Diario was shot in the arm. All classes commend the authorities for avoiding unnecessary force or violence in the use of the soldiery and the police.

Havana, Jan. 14.—There is no foundation whatever for the rumor that United States Consul General Fitzhugh Lee met with violence during the disturbances Wednesday night or yesterday. During the height of the uproar Wednesday evening he walked about freely in Central park and in front of the Hotel Inglaterra. Yesterday he attended to official business as usual. Last evening, when this dispatch was sent he was dining at the Hotel Inglaterra.

Illinois Legislative Notes.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 14.—The senate held a brief session. There was practically no business transacted. An adjournment to today was taken, but there will be no session except the presence of a couple of members to adjourn over to Monday evening. In fact neither house did a tap of work yesterday, an early adjournment being taken to give the revenue law-makers a chance to agree on a bill. The house subcommittee on revenue was in session all day drafting a new revenue bill, but it is not probable that the work will be completed before next week.

Illinois Civil Service Law.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Chief Justice Fuller, of the United States supreme court, has issued a writ of error in the civil service suit recently passed upon by the Illinois supreme court, and granted a supersedeas. This action nullifies the recent decision of the Illinois supreme court until a hearing on the question of the constitutionality of the civil service act has been had before the United States supreme court. It is a victory for the anti-civil service reformers, and sustains the exemption of a large number of offices from the operation of the civil service law.

Dole Is Coming to See Us About It.

Honolulu, Jan. 6, via San Francisco, Jan. 14.—President Sanford B. Dole leaves for Washington by the steamship Peru on the 8th inst. The chief executive of this country journeys to the capital of the United States for the purpose of consulting with the administration there on the subject of annexation of these islands to the greater republic.

Pana Miners Go to Work Again.

Pana, Ills., Jan. 14.—After one month's shut down on account of incorrectness of scales and differences between operators and miners resulting therefrom the Penwell Coal Mining company, mines have resumed operations. Till differences between the company and men have been satisfactorily adjusted.

Fire Damages a Flour Factory.

Louisville, Jan. 14.—First broke out last evening in the flour factory of B. F. Avery & Sons, and did about \$75,000 worth of damage.

WOMAN'S TROUBLES.

SYNOPSIS OF A MOST IMPORTANT LECTURE.

The Great Advance That is Being Made By Invention and Discovery for Easing the Burdens of Life and Making Women Better and Happier.

(New York Correspondence.)



Mrs. Morgan J. Willard of New York recently read a paper before the Woman's League, of which she is an officer, on the subject of "Woman's Greatest Troubles." After enumerating them in order, and intelligently treating the subjects of "Unrequited Affection," "Lack of Appreciation," "Loss of Friends," "Poverty," etc., she continued:

"But, unfortunately, the greatest trouble which ever comes into any woman's life is loss of health. Other troubles can be overcome. Time mellow the grief which is so overwhelming at the hour we close the eyes of our dying relatives or friends. Poverty may be banished and the lost home and social standing regained. Even unrequited affection may be lived down, but broken health blights the life, undermines the spirit, destroys beauty, embitters the nature, ruins the life and, too often, makes death a boon. A sickly woman is the saddest wreck upon the shoals of life. She is not only miserable herself but often brings greater misery to those about her—the loving friends whose lives are bound up in hers. Woman's greatest trouble is ill health."

After describing many of the diseases to which women are specially subject, the lecturer continued: "But thank Heaven there is an escape. Fortunately there is a relief for women even in their lowest physical condition. Modern science and modern discovery have worked for years on this problem which is, in fact, the greatest problem of life, namely, how to produce happiness, and it is a cause for gratitude that these efforts have been successful. There are many things which have been discovered which may help women in their physical troubles, and there is one discovery which certainly cures. I have known many women who have been in the depths of physical bitterness, and who are now on the heights of happiness. I have seen them taken from a condition of sickness and misery, and know that they are today healthy and happy. I also know that the means by which they were restored has been endorsed by the highest authorities, medical and scientific, both abroad and in America. It is commended in the warmest terms by such eminent men as Rev. Dr. Rankin and Bishop Wilson, and by such reliable women as Mrs. Annie Jenness Miller and Mrs. Phelps. I myself, have used it, and cannot recommend it too highly. The name of this discovery which has done so much for womanhood, is Warner's Safe Cure, and it can be secured by any woman who feels the need of some reliable friend upon whom she can depend."

In conclusion, Mrs. Willard said: "Woman is able to endure suffering far more than man but there is no reason why she should be compelled to do so. She may be able to endure pain, but she was not created for that purpose. Her mission in life is to diffuse joy and gladness. Her face becomes a revelation of heaven when wreathed in happiness, but gives us a glimpse of all that is miserable when depressed by dejection. But, far too often, her troubles arise from her own making. Thoughtlessness, carelessness and neglect are too often responsible for the misery which she endures, but fortunately, by exercising care and availing herself of the best discoveries of science, there is no reason why she should remain in a condition of unhappiness when there is certain relief near at hand."



The lecture made a deep impression upon the ladies of the League who heard it, and there was much discussion upon it after the session closed. It seemed to be the general sentiment that women of the present day are beginning to see how needless were the troubles which women formerly endured, and how easily they can be avoided at the present time by exercising intelligent care.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

What Benton Harbor's People and Societies Are Doing.

Miss Fern Buchanan returned yesterday from a visit to her grandmother at Port Huron.

Miss Frances Segar very pleasantly entertained a number of her friends with a Dutch lunch last evening at her home. A number of St. Joe friends attended.

The Daughters of Ossoli will meet with Miss McGraw, 302 Territorial street, at 2:30 Saturday p. m.

D. M. Stover, a Muskegon man known by many Benton Harbor people, was in the city today representing the Monarch cycle company.

Clarence T. Warner is at the new resort Somerleyton on the St. Joe river today.

The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church met with Mrs. Alonzo Plummer, Pipestone street, last night and elected the following officers: President, Dean Peters; vice president, Carolyn Bass; secretary, Ethel Hudson; treasurer, Mr. DeBoer, jr.

William Collins, of Pipestone, was in town today.

Roscoe D. Farmer is in Chicago.

MORE ABOUT THE PARTY.

The Floral Decorations Were Sent From Chicago.

The profuse and beautiful floral decorations which adorned the Fair Plain Pullen mansion on the occasion of the entertainment given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pullen to their friends on last Wednesday evening, and which were so much admired, were furnished by the Chicago florist, Edward Pullen, whose wife is a daughter of Mr. Pullen.

The principal portion of the instrumental music for the occasion was furnished by Mr. Engleman and his wife and daughter. The playing and singing of Miss Anna Gordon was much enjoyed and the whistling of A. F. Schoolz was a pleasing feature of the entertainment. The magical feats of Mr. Marshall of Spinks Co., were quite bewildering as well as amusing.

The bottles found in a gentleman's hat by the magician were filled with beer only in imagination. The features which afforded the most amusement were the bon bons with their quaint and comical caps which went to adorn the heads of the guests.

The choicest refreshments were served in elegant style.

BANK OFFICIALS CONVICTED.

Christian Breisch Convicted of Perjury at Lansing.

Lansing, Jan. 14.—Christian Breisch, one of the directors of one of Lansing's broken banks, has been found guilty of perjury in making affidavits to statements of the conditions of the bank.

The body of Murderer W. T. H. Durrant was cremated at the crematory of Reynolds & Van Nuy at Altadele, near Los Angeles, Cal., yesterday.

James P. Brennan, a wealthy farmer from Columbus, Wis., has gone to Chicago to search for two sisters whom he has not seen for forty-two years.

John Bowie, a pioneer of Manistee, Mich., died after an illness of several years. For years he was president of the Manistee Iron Works company.

Poker playing among the students of the Western Presbyterian Theological seminary, in Ridge avenue, Allegheny, has caused trouble in that institution.

B. A. Sprecher, a banker of Portage, Wis., and once representative of congress in a Wisconsin district, was found dead in his bed from aneurism of the heart.

A force of expert operators has begun the work of shearing the 50,000 sheep at present penned in the yards of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad at Montgomery, Ill. The shears used are operated by steam power.

Miss Jessie Franks and Miss Sarah Swishes, aged each about 20 years, who left their homes at Elwood, Ind., three weeks since, ostensibly for the purpose of visiting Cincinnati relatives, have written from Portland, Ore., that they were en route to Alaska to search for gold.

An Explosive Social.

An "Explosive Motto" social will be given under the auspices of the Epworth league at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. French, Friday evening, January 14.

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Clean Your Walks.

Owners of property in Benton Harbor are hereby reminded that section 12 of a city ordinance relative to the use of streets, alleys, bridges, sidewalks, public places and public property expressly provides that when property owners fail to keep their sidewalks free from snow and ice it shall be the duty of the street commissioner to order those sidewalks cleared by the city at the expense of the property owners.

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ST. JOSEPH.

Ira Ashman, who had his hearing in Justice Baldrey's court on charge of crime, was bound over to the circuit court.

The A. B. Morse company has added another new press to its equipment. It came this morning on the boat and is a quarter medium Gordon jobber.

Dr. L. I. McLin, of St. Joseph, returned last night from a three weeks' trip to Arkansas, in the interest of business and his health.

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Probate Court.

Estate of Elizabeth S. Force, deceased. Petition filed by Dr. R. F. Stratton, administrator, for final settlement of accounts and distribution of said estate. Hearing February 7 at 10 a. m.

Estate of David M. Hartsell, deceased. Letters of administration of said estate granted to Ida Hartsell.

Estate of John Selommer, deceased. John F. Gard and William M. Wissing appointed commissioners to hear claims against said estate.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our hearty and sincere thanks, in the public way, to the Free Masons for their kind and generous assistance in our recent bereavement and to the old soldiers, friends and neighbors, who by their words of sympathy and gifts of flowers did so much to cheer us in our grief.

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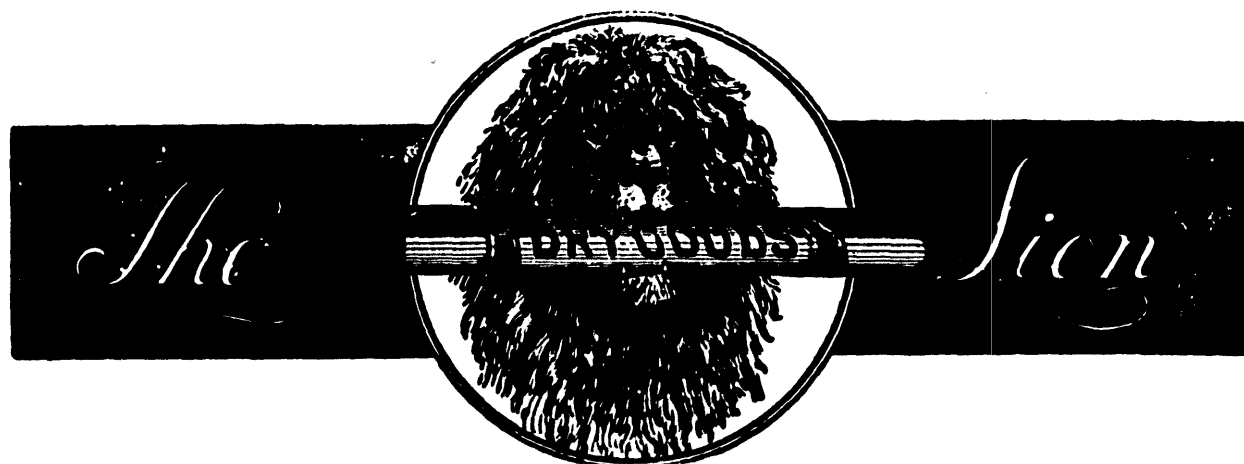
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